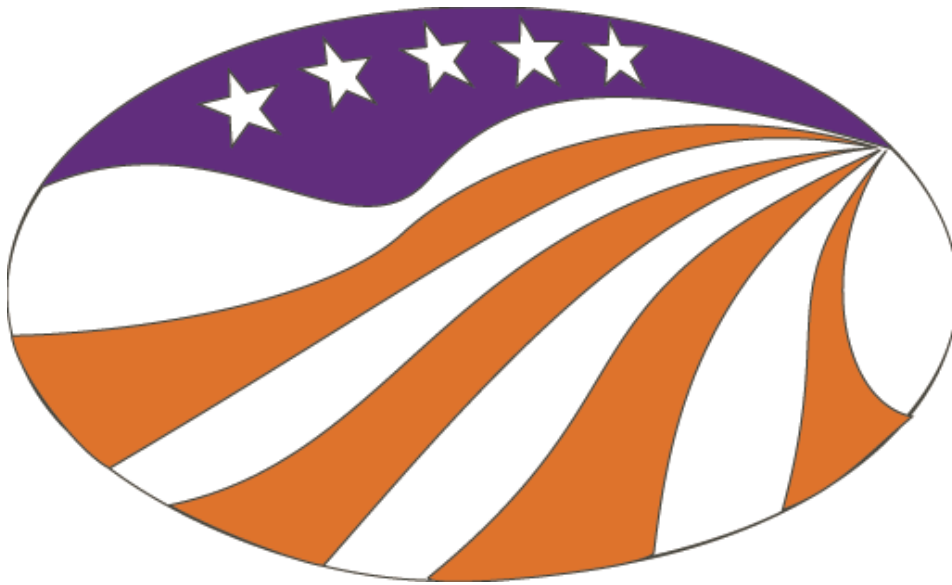


19th Annual
**California
Trails and Greenways
Conference**

PROGRAM

September 6-8, 2002
Granlibakken Resort
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Time	Friday Events	Location
	Preconference Programs	
8am to 4 pm	Option 1: Public/Private Partnerships in Trail Development	Bay Room
8am to 4 pm	Option 2: Pedestrian Enhancement Projects at Emerald Bay and D.L. Bliss state parks	Meet @ D.L. Bliss State Park Visitor Ctr
4:30 to 6pm	California Recreational Trails Committee Public Meeting	Tahoe City PUD
6:30pm	Welcome Reception Sponsored by Auerbach Engineering Group and Landesign Tahoe.	Garden Deck
7:30pm to 9pm	Dinner with keynote speaker J.S. Holliday Ph.D.: California's Enduring Image: "America, Only More So."	Granhall

Time	Saturday Events	Location
7am to 8am	<u>Buffet Breakfast</u>	Granhall
8am to 7pm	Vendors and Exhibits Open	Outside Pavilion
8am to 10am	General Session: Tahoe Rim Trail Twenty years of work was needed to complete this 150-mile trail on the ridges around Lake Tahoe. <i>Lynda McDowell, Mark Vollmer</i>	Lake/Bay Room
10am to 10:30am	Break	
	Breakout Sessions	
10:30am to 11:45	Planning: Land Acquisition and Easements Gain an understanding of the options for expanding trail access. <i>Laura Svendsgaard, Reynolds Potter</i>	Lake Room
10:30am to 11:45	Community: Emerging Trends: Water Trails An overview of water trails and guiding principals of development. <i>Al Staats, Jennifer Rice, Michael Casey Walker</i>	Mountain Room
10:30am to 11:45	Heritage: The Robinson Ranch Trail--Natural Resource Emphasis A multi-jurisdictional, local business, and community-created trail. <i>Kathy Frye, Joe Inch</i>	Bay Room
10:30am to 11:45	Partnerships: Trail Planning for Livability: Truckee Trails and Bikeways Master Plan Planning for privacy, public use and environmental protection. <i>Brett Hondorp, Gavin Ball, Susan Diane</i>	Cedar House
Noon to 1:30pm	Buffet Lunch How to Fund your Community Trail A look at major funding sources for trail development. <i>Charlie Willard, Laura Cohen, Philip Sales, Steve Fiala, Betty Ettinger</i>	Granhall

Time	Saturday Events (continued)	Location
1:45 to 3:00pm	Community: Bringing Trails to the Classroom Effective methods for introducing children to trails. <i>Sara Holm, Maggie Olson, Tonia Villanueva</i>	Mountain Room
1:45 to 3:00pm	Heritage: Data Gathering for Regional Trails GIS/GPS: gathering, analyzing and using data for planning. <i>Beth Stone, Steve Fiala</i>	Bay Room
1:45 to 3:00pm	Partnerships: Four Rails-to-Trails Case Studies A look at four very different Rails-To-Trails projects in California. <i>Brian Fletcher, Peter Callander</i>	Cedar Room
3:00 to 6:00pm	Free Time: Organized hikes and rides. Exhibits and Silent Auction	Outside Pavilion
6:00 to 7:00pm	Silent Auction Reception hosted by Granlibakken	Outside Pavilion
7:00 to 9:00pm	Dinner and Trail Awards. Guest speaker Triple Crown Hiker Brian Robinson who in a single year hiked the Pacific Crest, the Continental Divide and the Appalachian trails.	Granhall

Time	Sunday Events	Location
7:30 to 9:00am	Buffet Breakfast	Granhall
	Break Out Sessions	
8:30 to 9:45am	Planning: Trail Master Plans--Content and Approvals Successful trail master plans are the keys to successful trail systems. <i>John Ramirez, Roy Imai, Mike Wixon</i>	Lake Room
8:30 to 9:45am	Community: Volunteer Trail Programs An effective trail volunteer program is a great way to better trails. <i>Chuck Wisse, Brad Childs</i>	Mountain Room
8:30 to 9:45am	Heritage: CEQA & NEPA: When and Why Environmental clearances? Learn when they are needed and the pitfalls of inadequate processes. <i>Victoria Touchstone, Shaelyn Raab-Stratton</i>	Bay Room
8:30 to 9:45am	Partnerships: Planning and Designing Multi-use Trails Steps in planning and developing bike paths, greenways and multi-purpose trails, from corridor selection to intersection treatments. <i>Ryan Snyder, Brian Hannegan</i>	Cedar Room
9:45 to 10:00am	Break	
	General Sessions	
10:00 to 11:15am	The Plight of Partnerships and Historical Trails Benefits, dangers and difficulties of partnerships and volunteers: Case study of the Juan Bautista de Anza National Historic Trail. <i>David A. Smith, Jeannie Gillen</i>	Lake/Bay
11:15 to Noon	California Coastal Trail Planning A look at the legislatively-required California Coastal Trail Plan process and the implementation that will follow its completion. <i>Steve Horn, Carla Chenault</i>	Lake/Bay
Noon to 1pm	Lunch and Final Announcements	Granhall

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